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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Byung-Sup SHIM et al.**

Serial No. 09/305,240

Examiner:

O. Nadav

Filed: May 4, 1999

Group Art Unit:

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For: **OPEN DRAIN INPUT/OUTPUT STRUCTURE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF IN SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**

Date: March 9, 2000

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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Office Action, dated February 17, 2000, please amend the application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Applicant elects claims 5-9, drawn to a semiconductor device, without traverse.

REMARKS

Applicant respectfully submits that each of the Examiner's rejections have been overcome and that this Application is in condition for allowance. Such is respectfully requested.

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